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FORTNIGHTLY

CONTROL ZONE

Hey, Boomers,

Can you move? Are you lying around like a big barrage balloon from endless chomping through your umpteenth Christmas stocking! Well, the time has come to put down that turkey sandwich and pick on this, the last power-packed issue for 1996 which features *all new*, faberoonie Sonic, Knuckles, Decap Attack and Sonic's World stories...

I'm in a state of shock as I write this as the humes-who-think-they're-in-charge gave me a copy of the game no Mega Drive owner should be without, *Sonic 3-D*, so I'll just leave you with this thought - a whole new year of *STC*'s await you!

HERE'S TO CIRCUIT SHATTERING CELEBRATIONS!

Megadroid

THE COST OF STC!

There's some not-so-good news and some great news concerning the next issue of *STC*! The not-so-good news is that the price is going up by just 5p from *STC* 95. Perhaps it's to keep Sonic in power sneakers, but one thing's for sure, even at £1.25 *STC* will still be providing you with the very best in comic entertainment each fortnight!

The great news is there's a fantastic Sonic Spinner cover gift (see right) - and that's just for starters as there's more fantastic gifts to follow (*STC* 96 comes with an exclusive Sonic badge). Plus, there's more mega surprises to

follow, so stick with *STC* and next issue you'll be able to perform spin attacks worthy of Sonic himself!



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SONIC

THE HEDGEHOG

Eve of Destruction

COMPLETE STORY

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A MONSTER RAMPAGES THROUGH NEW TEK CITY... AND EVEN THE COMBINED FORCES OF SONIC AND THE CHAOTIX CREW SEEM UNABLE TO DEFEAT IT!

THIS DUDE IS GETTING STRONGER! THIS IS BAD NEWS!

UNNK! TOO RIGHT, MIGHTY! I'M MISSING A COOL NEW YEAR PARTY FIGHTING THIS CREEP!

BULK SMASH!

...BUT WHERE DID THIS CREATURE COME FROM? LET'S GO BACK A FEW HOURS TO A PARTY ON NEW YEAR'S EVE AND MEET BORING SCIENTIST, DOCTOR BOB BOBBLE...

...AND IN THE FORTHCOMING YEAR, I PLAN TO INTENSIFY MY RESEARCH INTO DELTA WAVE ENERGY, TO FORMULATE A THESIS THAT ONE DAY MAY BE ABLE TO...

YAWN! SORRY, DOCTOR BOBBLE, BUT IT'S NEARLY MIDNIGHT AND I HAVEN'T HAD A DANCE YET!

THE MARCH OF SCIENCE HAS NO TIME FOR SUCH FRIVOLITIES, YOUNG LADY!

GIVE IT A REST, DOC! IT'S A PARTY!

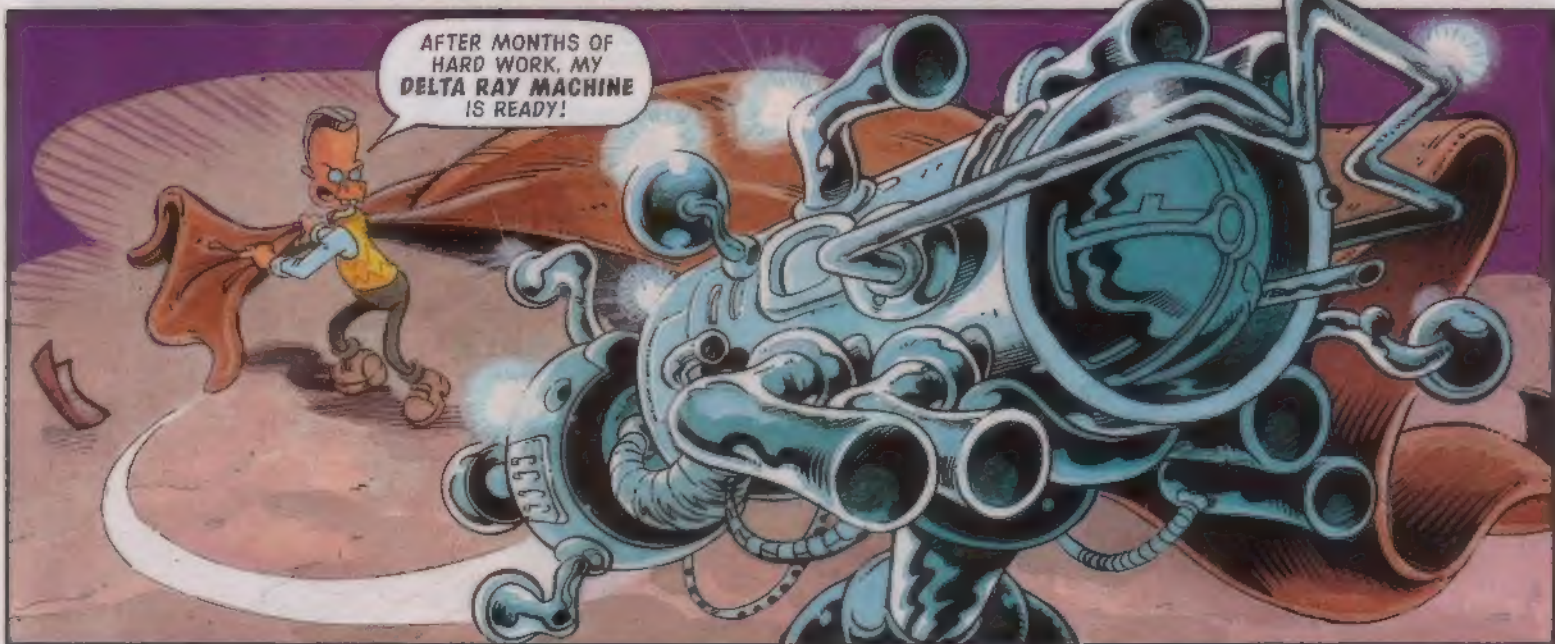


BAH! THEY'RE ALWAYS LAUGHING AT MY GENIUS! WELL, I'LL SHOW THEM THIS TIME!

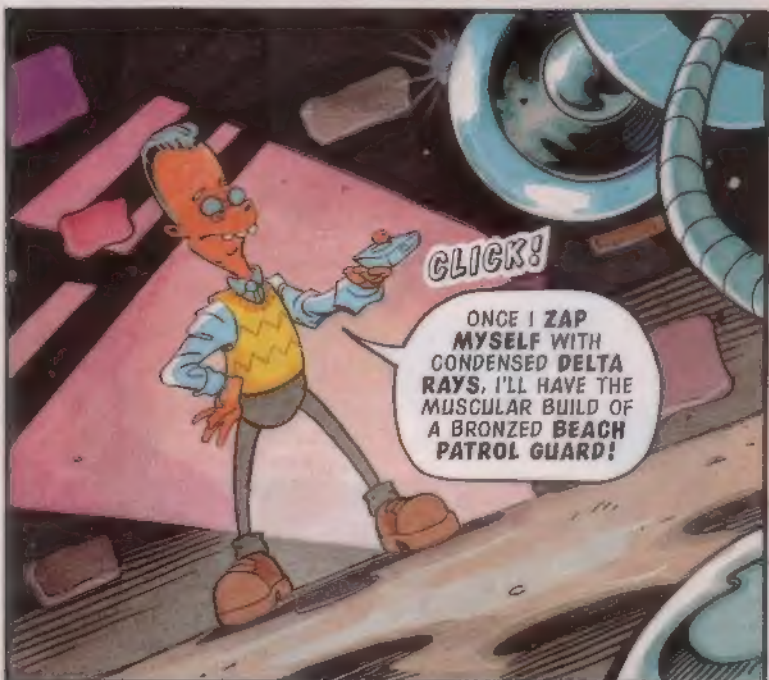


DOCTOR BOBBLE RUSHES TO HIS LABORATORY...

THIS TIME I CAN PROVE MY IDEAS WORK! HAHahaha!



AFTER MONTHS OF HARD WORK, MY DELTA RAY MACHINE IS READY!



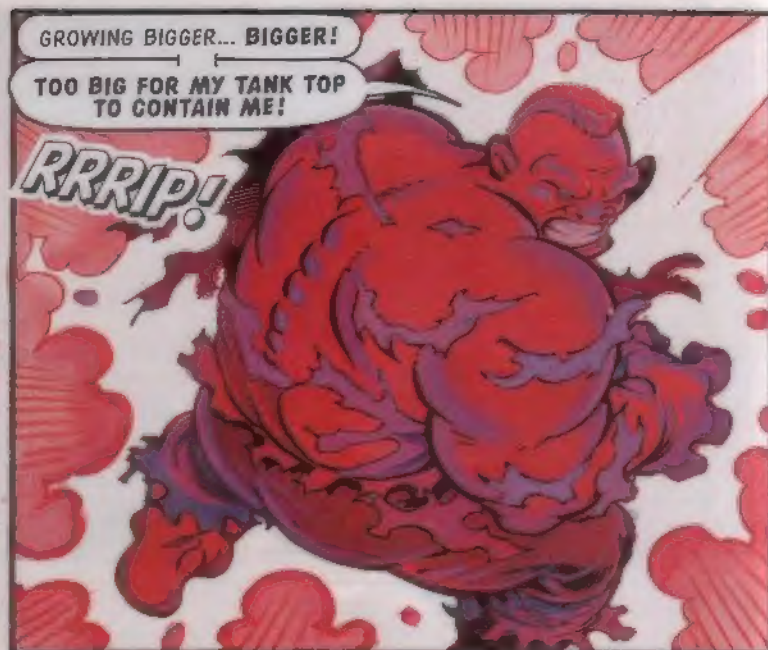
CLICK!

ONCE I ZAP MYSELF WITH CONDENSED DELTA RAYS, I'LL HAVE THE MUSCULAR BUILD OF A BRONZED BEACH PATROL GUARD!



ZAPP!

UUGH! THEY HIT HARDER THAN I EXPECTED! I'VE DROPPED MY REMOTE CONTROL!



MEANWHILE, ON THE STREET...

MAYBE WE SHOULDN'T BE IN PUBLIC LIKE THIS! WE'RE STILL WANTED BY THE POLICE, REMEMBER?

YEAH, FOR A CRIME WE DIDN'T COMMIT!

RELAX, DUDES! WE WON'T BE SPOTTED IN THIS CROWD!

YIPITY-YAPITY-DEE! IT'S ALMOST TIME TO RING-A-DING IN THE NEW YEAR!

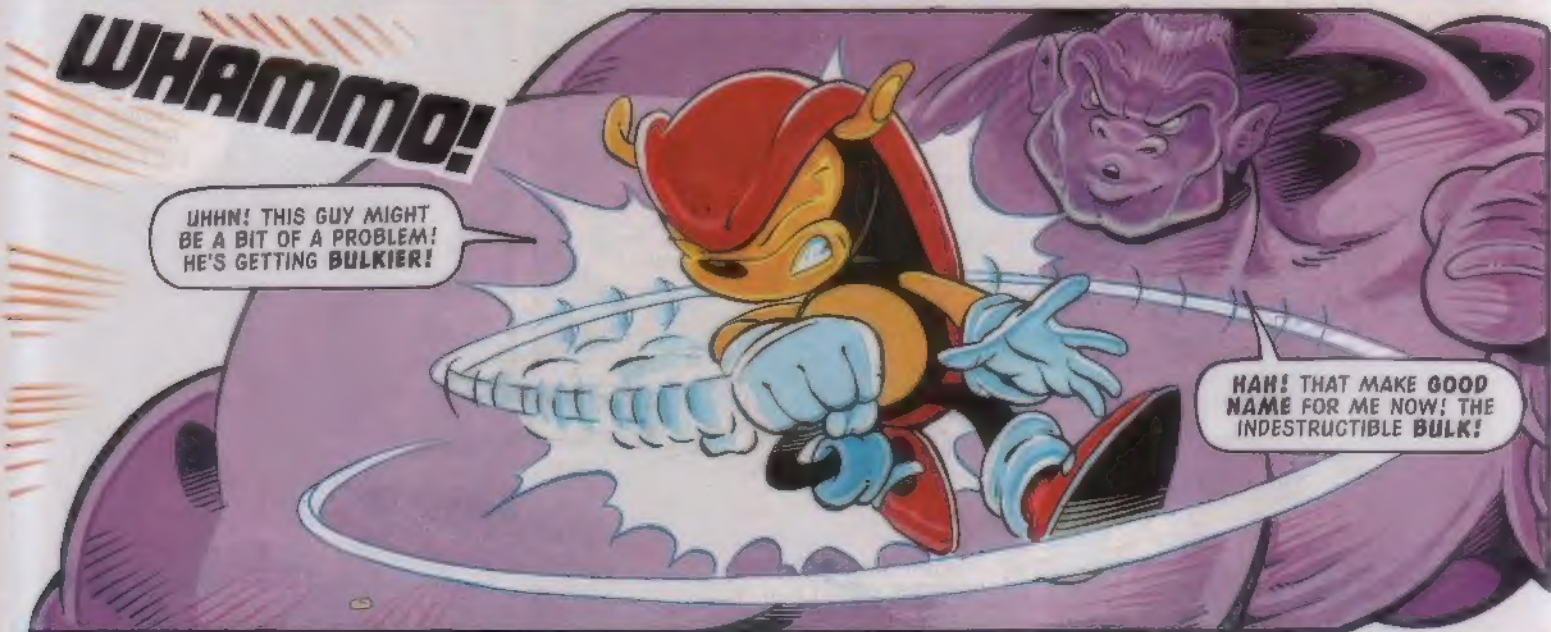
SOMETHING TELLS ME THAT MOMENT MIGHT BE DELAYED! LOOK!

I RIP BELL FROM TOWER WITH MY NEW STRENGTH! I STOP YOUR FUN!

HE'S HURLING THAT BELL TOWARDS THE CROWD!

TELL ME SOMETHING I DON'T ALREADY KNOW, VECTOR!

GOTTA CAUSE AN UPDRAFT WITH MY SPEED... TO CUSHION THE FALL OF THE BELL!



KEEP THE BULK BUSY, SONIC! I'M GONNA SEE IF THERE'S ANYTHING TO STOP THIS MONSTER IN BOBBLE'S LABORATORY!

GEE, I'M GLAD YOU PASSED UP THE EASY JOB!



BOY OH BOY! HE DIDN'T EVEN FLINCH AT YOUR SUPER SPIN ATTACK, SONIC! HE DIDN'T FEEL A THING! WOO!

OKAY, OKAY, CHARMY!

KDDING!



BULK GROWING... TOO BULKY! GETTING... HARD TO... MOVE!

ZIPPITY-ZEE! MAYBE YOU DID HURT HIM AFTER ALL, SONIC!

I DON'T THINK I CAN TAKE THE CREDIT FOR THIS, SOMEHOW!



WHATEVER CHANGED THIS DUDE INTO A MONSTER IS STILL WORKING! THE BULK IS BECOMING TOO HEAVY TO SUPPORT HIS WEIGHT!

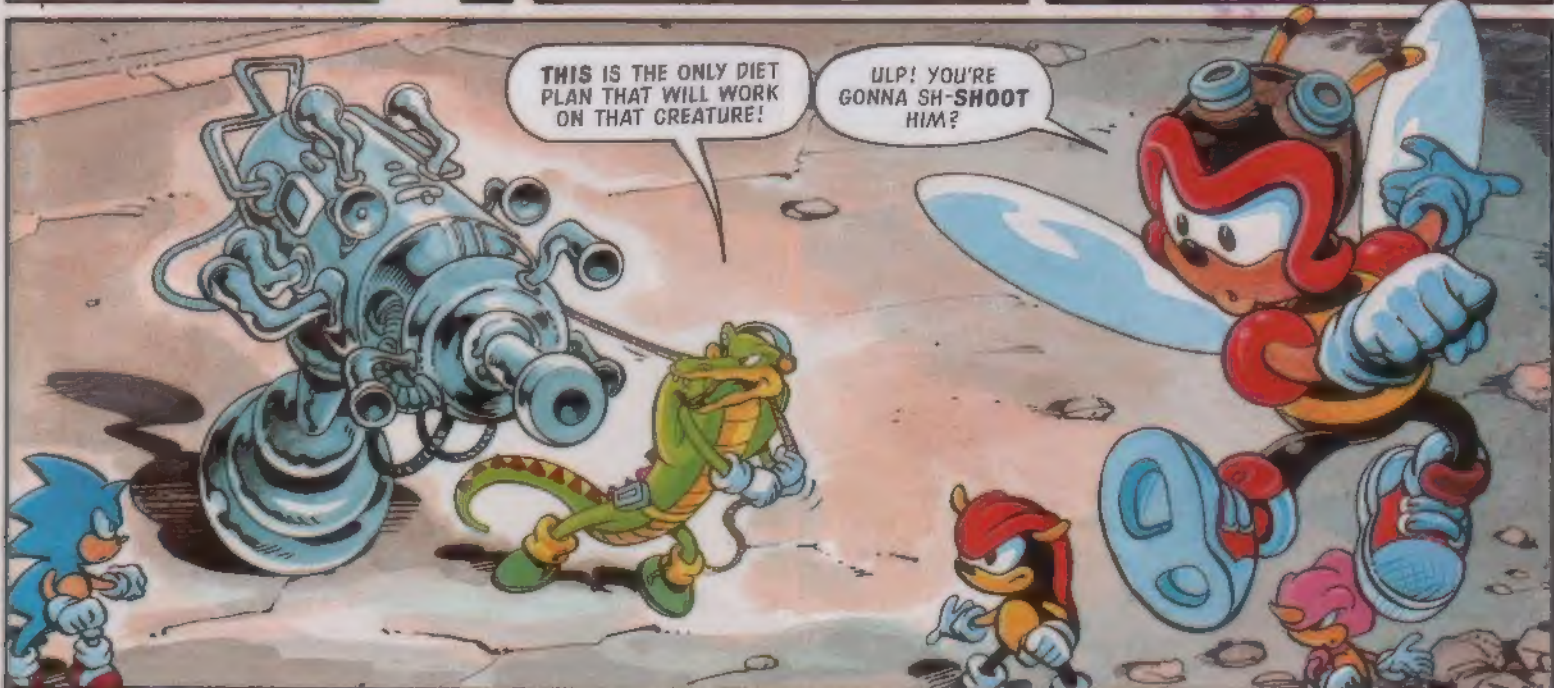
BLOBBITY-BOO! SHOULD WE SUGGEST A DIET PLAN?

CAN'T... MOVE...!



THIS IS THE ONLY DIET PLAN THAT WILL WORK ON THAT CREATURE!

ULP! YOU'RE GONNA SH-SHOOT HIM?



I'VE REPAIRED THE MACHINE THAT CAUSED HIS TRANSFORMATION! REVERSING THE POLARITY OF THE DELTA RAYS SHOULD CHANGE THE BULK BACK INTO BOB BOBBLE!

PAZZAZ!

UUGH!

I... I'M BOB AGAIN! EVEN MY HIGH INTELLIGENCE HAS RETURNED... I CAN FEEL MY BRAIN CELLS REPLACING BRUTE FORCE WITH SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE!

COOL! I'LL JUST MAKE SURE YOU CAN'T USE THIS AGAIN!

SMAASH!

MY MACHINE! YEARS OF HARD WORK... DESTROYED IN A SECOND!

MAYBE YOU SHOULD USE YOUR KNOWLEDGE TO HELP OTHERS, INSTEAD OF TRYING TO BE SOMETHING YOU'RE NOT, BOZO!

YES... I WILL MAKE A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION TO BENEFIT THE POPULATION OF THIS NEEDY WORLD WITH MY GENIUS! I WILL...

...WHILE YOU'RE AT IT, MAKE A RESOLUTION TO LIGHTEN UP! YOU'RE SENDING ME TO SLEEP AND I WANNA PARTY!

SIGH.

HEY...

HAPPY NEW YEAR, BOOMERS!

THE END.

NEXT ISSUE: THE BIG FIGHT!

REVIEW ZONE

YOUR GUIDE TO NEW GAMES RELEASES FOR THE SEGA SYSTEMS

STC'S RATING SYSTEM
UNDER 40 = YAWNsville

40-70 = NORMALsville
70-80 = FUN CITY

80-90 = BIG TIME CITY
OVER 90 = MEGA CITY

FIGHTING VIPERS

Reviewed by Chris Jones.



SATURN

GAME TYPE: 3-D BEAT 'EM-UP
PLAYERS: 1-2

PUBLISHER: SEGA
PRICE: £49.99

RELEASE DATE: OUT NOW
AGE SUITABILITY: ALL



The latest in arcade hits, **Fighting Vipers** has now burst on to the Saturn, a 3D beat 'em-up with street-cool fighters who are as hard as their armour. There are nine Fighting Vipers who all fight fast, full on, and in a frenzy for action-packed combat. 'Picky' is a cool skateboard fighter who uses his board as a weapon rather than

transport, while 'Bahn' is a vigilante gang leader whose fighting style is not at all honourable. All the other fighters have their own particular style of warfare but this game has two features that distinguish it from the *Virtua Fighter* series.

Firstly, all the characters have two sets of armour for both upper and lower body areas. This protects them until they lose it and then they are vulnerable. The armour can be broken off by 'Armour Breaker Moves' and then it flies off in a shower of sparks with a rapid reply from three dramatic angles. The other main feature that makes this game original are the walls. Each arena is enclosed by walls that are a crucial part of the gameplay. Use the walls to box opponents in, perform special moves off them

and even scale them and descend on your enemy. These two features make for exciting and furious gameplay.

Great animation ensures the fighting is quick and the great scenery means that battles are fought out in stunning arenas. The sound effects reflect the tornado-like fighting and with its extra features the game will keep you interested. These options include a training mode to practice in, which has a moves list and instructions on how to perform them. There is even a playback mode that allows you to save on to memory a resounding victory over a friend. These **Fighting Vipers** are awesome!



FINAL COUNTDOWN

RAVES

It's all great!



GRAPHICS 90

SOUND 85

GRAVES

Lower resolution characters than VF2 but still great.



PLAYABILITY 95

OVERALL 95

BUGS BUNNY IN DOUBLE TROUBLE

Reviewed by Chris Jones



MEGA DRIVE

GAME TYPE: PLATFORM
PLAYERS: 1

PUBLISHER: WARNER BROTHERS
PRICE: £39.99

RELEASE DATE: OUT NOW
AGE SUITABILITY: ALL

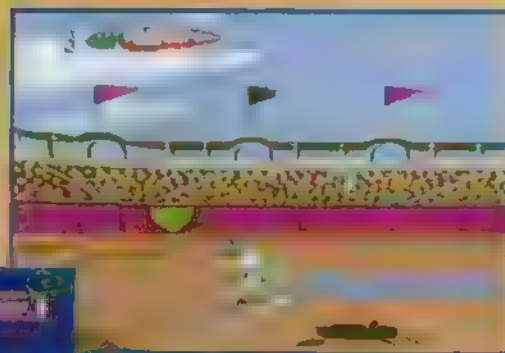


To some folk, Bugs Bunny is one of the coolest cartoon characters around. With his catch-phrase: "Whats up Doc", he always outwits his enemies and gets away with his mischievous behaviour. In **Double Trouble**, a new platform game for the Mega Drive, 'Bugs' once again finds himself in a pickle and it's up to you to make sure things work out for this sharp rabbit.

The plot in this game involves a sleeping Bugs being attacked in dreamland by a mad scientist. This scientist wants Bugs Bunny's brain for his new robot, but our carrot crunching hero escapes, and using the scientists television, travels through dreamland. Bugs encounters his Looney Tune pals who are helping the



mad scientist (remember Daffy Duck, Elmer Fudd Yosemite Sam and Marvin the Martian?).

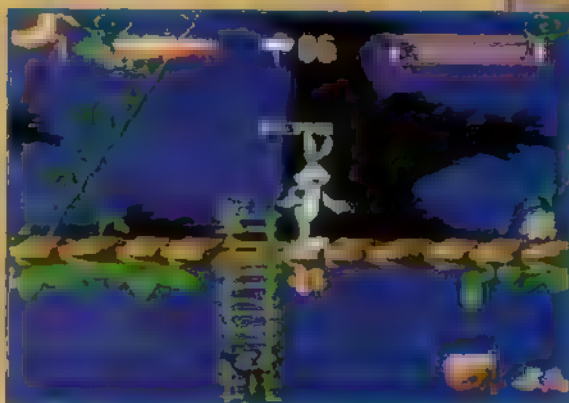


At the start of the game, Bugs gets a choice to set off on his adventure via two different routes. He

can opt for a jungle world full of rope ladders where Daffy Duck must be teased into following him, or he can start in a bull-ring where Bugs must gain access to a secret underground world.

This platform game is a very average offering. The graphics and gameplay are nothing special and the sound is annoying.

The characters are good but no real thought has gone into how to use them in an original way. **Bugs Bunny** would not be amused!



FINAL COUNTDOWN

RAVES

Pine for Looney Tunes fans

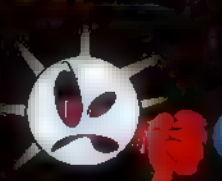


GRAPHICS 75

SOUND 70

GRAVES

But platform game!



PLAYABILITY 70

OVERALL 70



IN THE METROPOLIS ZONE, ONE OF THE LAST REMAINING PIECES OF PARK LAND IS UNDER THREAT

SAVE OUR TREES!

HANDS OFF ROBOTNIK!

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HANDS OFF ROBOTNIK!

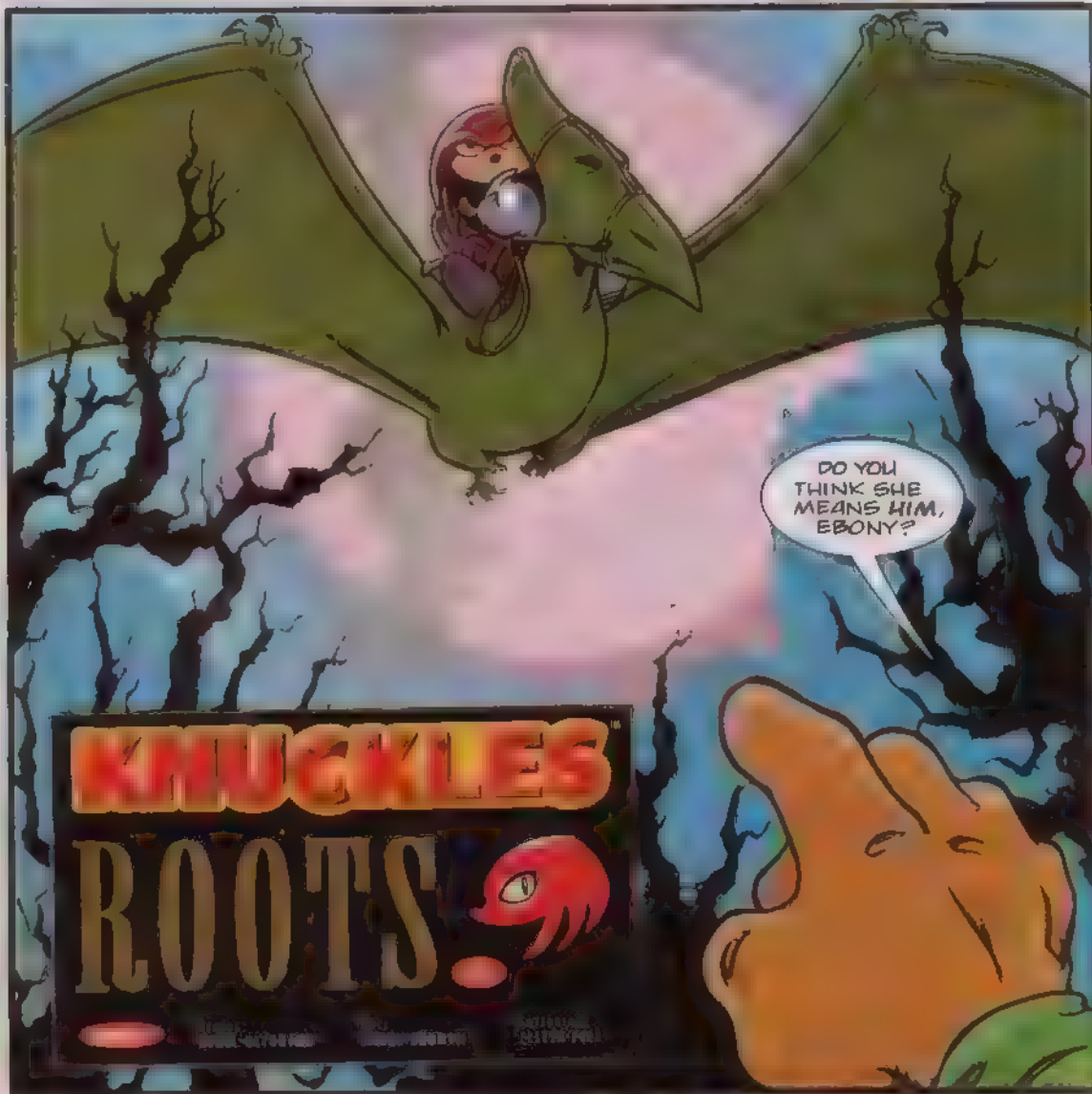
AH... I CAN SEE A TINY WINGED CREATURE... IT'S HEADING THIS WAY... YES, YES IT'S A BUTTERFLY... OR...

SAVE OUR TREES!

UH OH, LOOKS LIKE PYJAMAS IS HAVING ONE OF HER VISIONS!

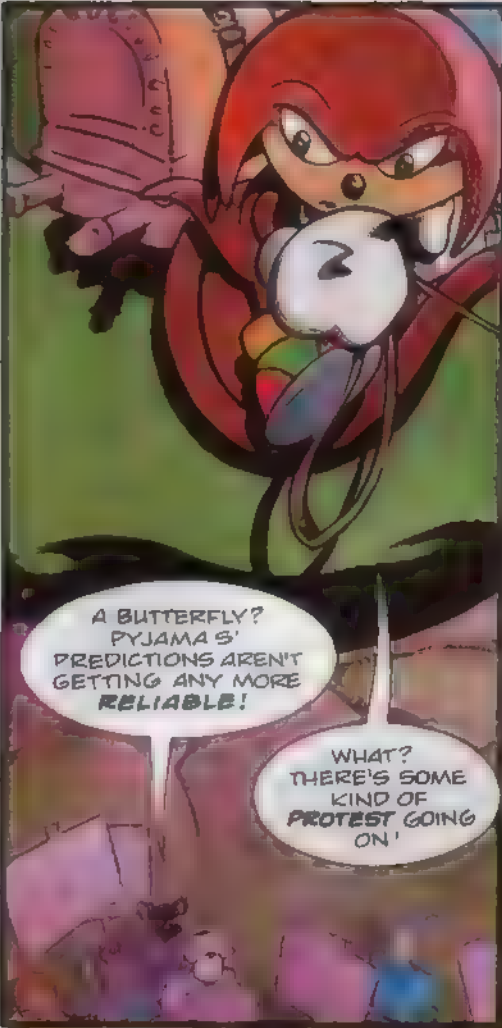


A TINY WINGED CREATURE...



DO YOU THINK SHE MEANS HIM, EBONY?

KNUGGLES
ROOTS!



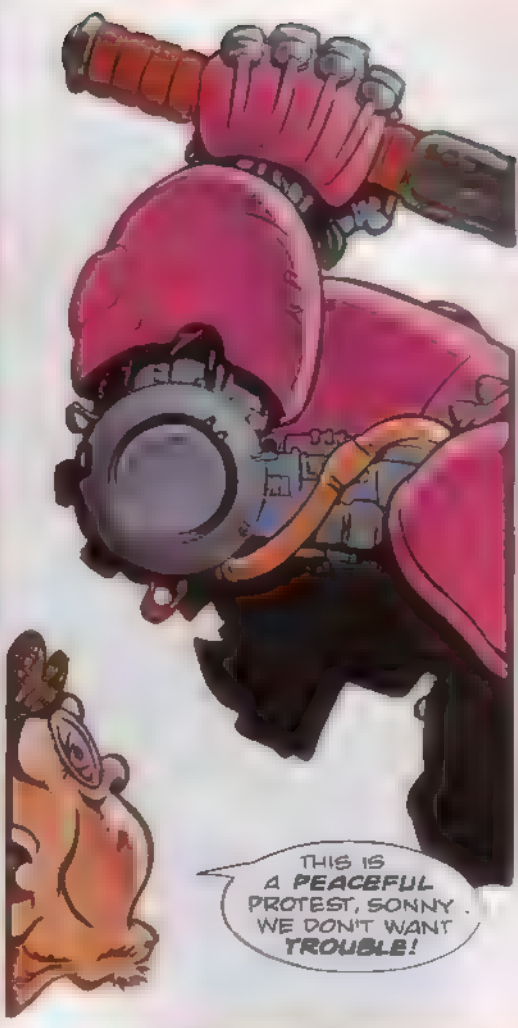
A BUTTERFLY?
PYJAMA'S
PREDICTIONS AREN'T
GETTING ANY MORE
RELIABLE!

WHAT?
THERE'S SOME
KIND OF
PROTEST GOING
ON!



UH OH, IT
LOOKS LIKE DOCTOR
ROBOTNIK IS GOING TO
COME DOWN HARD ON
THESE PROTESTERS!
HIS SBS* JOKERS
PLAY FOR
KEEPS!

*SPECIAL BADNIK SERVICE-Megadroid



THIS IS
A PEACEFUL
PROTEST, SONNY.
WE DON'T WANT
TROUBLE!

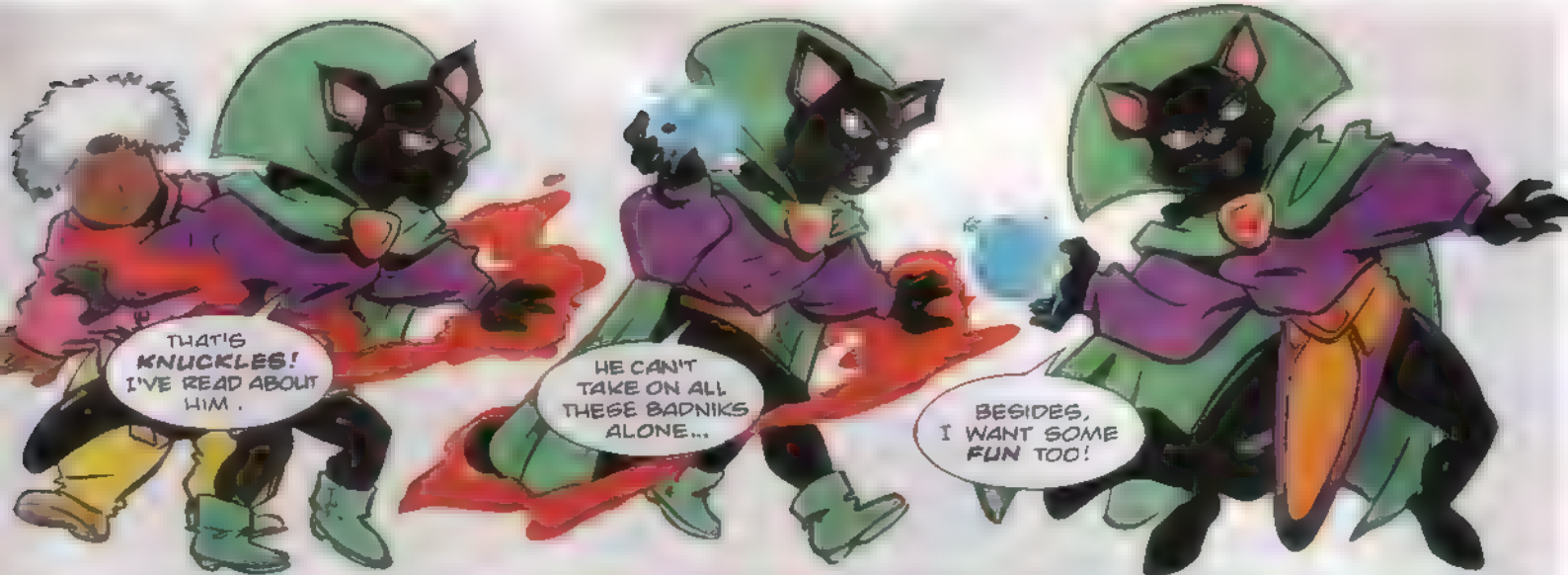


IT'S NO
GOOD TRYING TO
REASON WITH A
BADNIK, THERE'S
ONLY ONE THING
THEY UNDER-
STAND...



.. AND
THIS IS
IT!

WHROOM!



THAT'S
KNUCKLES!
I'VE READ ABOUT
HIM.

HE CAN'T
TAKE ON ALL
THESE BADNIKS
ALONE...

BESIDES,
I WANT SOME
FUN TOO!



FLISSH!

IT WILL
TAKE MORE THAN
PARTY TRICKS TO
STOP THE SBS,
CITIZEN!



SO, YOU'RE
UNIMRESSED BY
'PARTY TRICKS'? YOU
OBVIOUSLY HAVEN'T
BEEN TO ANY OF MY
PARTIES!

THAT
WAS AMAZING!
HOW DID YOU DO
THAT?

MAGIC!
ANYONE CAN
LEARN... ALL IT TOOK
ME WAS FIFTEEN
YEARS OF TOTAL
DEDICATION AND
PERSONAL
SACRIFICE!

KICK-KICK



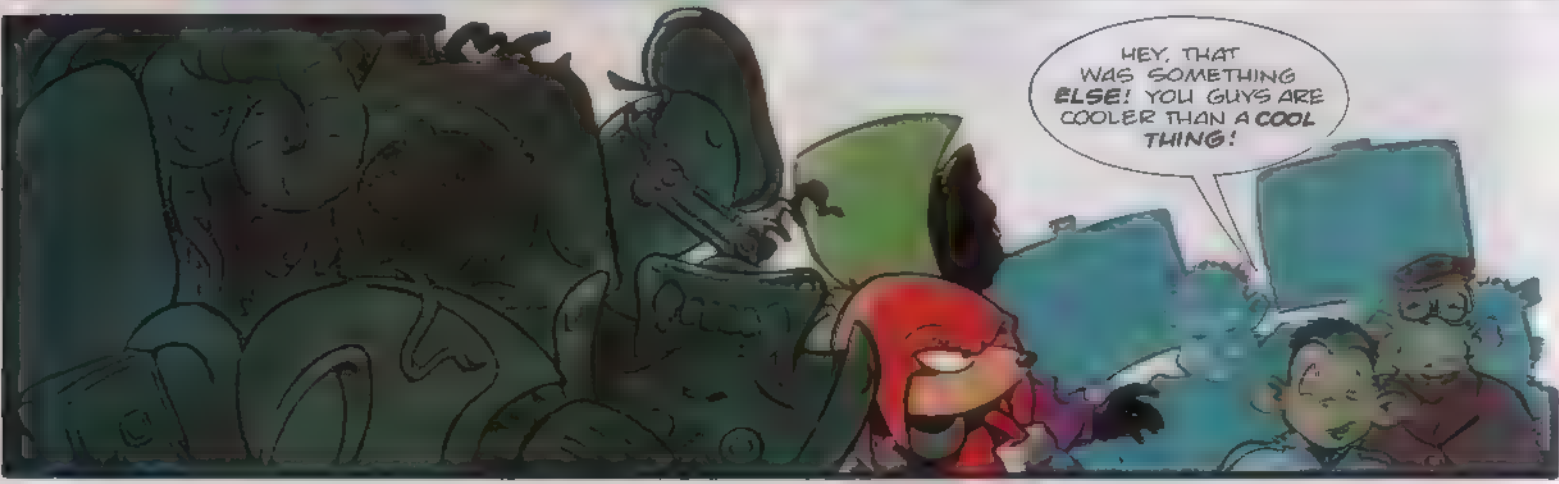
EVERYONE
KEEP BACK...
THIS COULD GET
MESSY!

YOU
THINK I'M GOING
TO MISS OUT ON
A SCRAP LIKE
THIS?

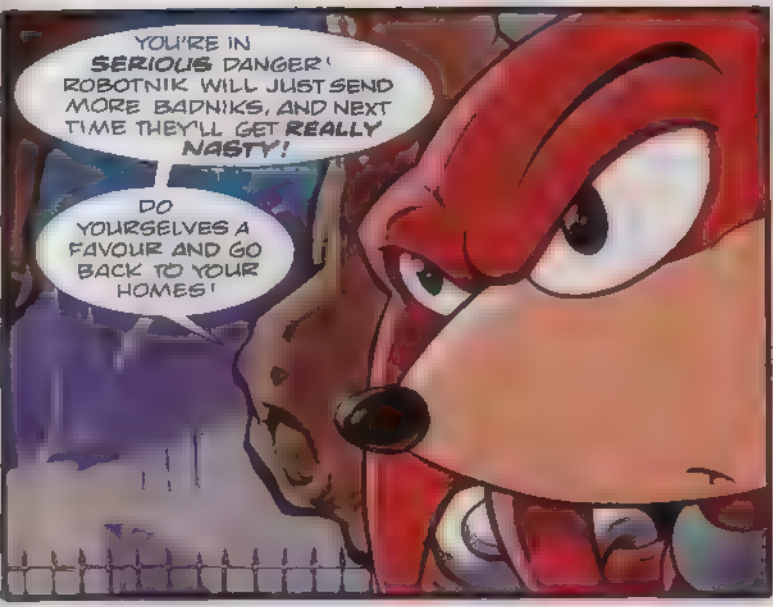


I COULD
BE WRONG, BUT
I THINK YOU'VE
DONE THIS SORT
OF THING
BEFORE!

MIGHT
HAVE, HAND-
SOME!

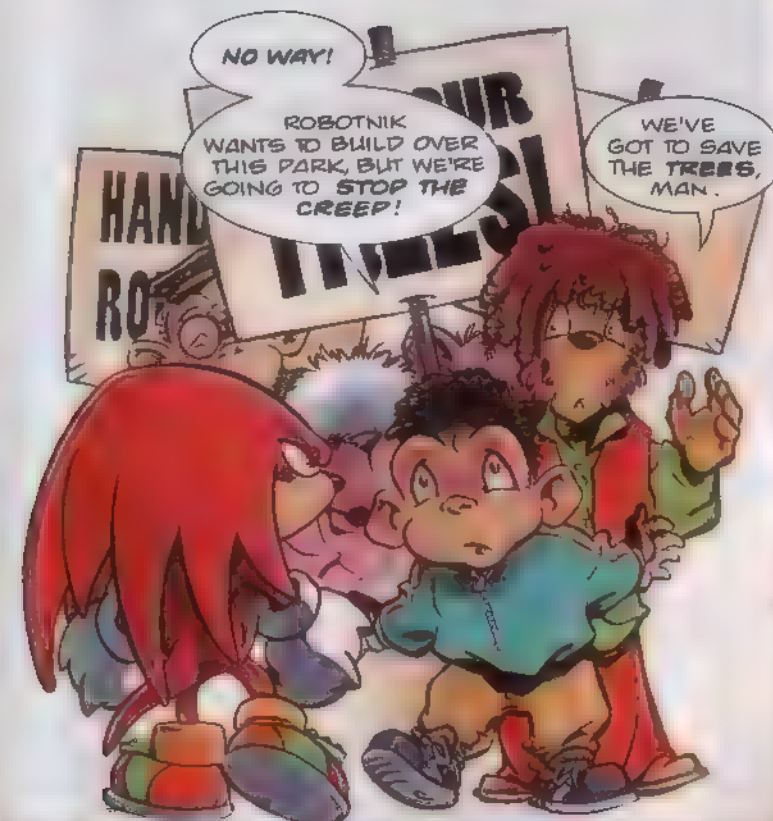


HEY, THAT
WAS SOMETHING
ELSE! YOU GUYS ARE
COOLER THAN A COOL
THING!



YOU'RE IN **SERIOUS DANGER!** ROBOTNIK WILL JUST SEND MORE BADNIKS, AND NEXT TIME THEY'LL GET **REALLY NASTY!**

DO YOURSELVES A FAVOUR AND GO BACK TO YOUR HOMES!



NO WAY!

ROBOTNIK WANTS TO BUILD OVER THIS PARK, BUT WE'RE GOING TO STOP THE CREEP!

WE'VE GOT TO SAVE THE TREES, MAN.



THE TREES... BUT WHAT'S SO SPECIAL ABOUT THEM?



ALLOW ME TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION.

NEXT ISSUE. TALK TO THE TREES!

Decap Attack

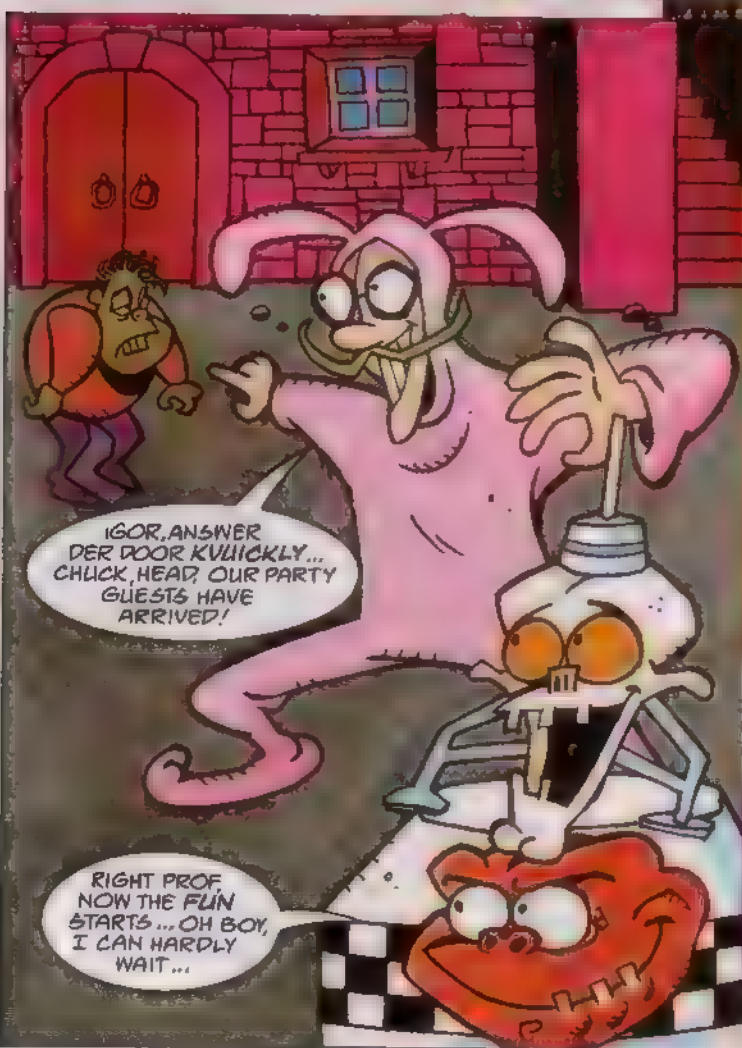
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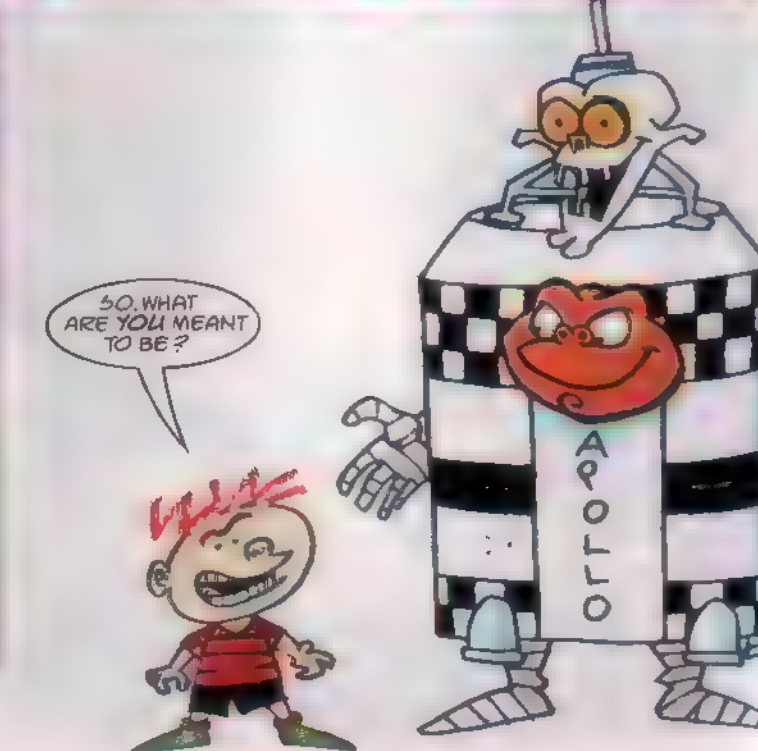
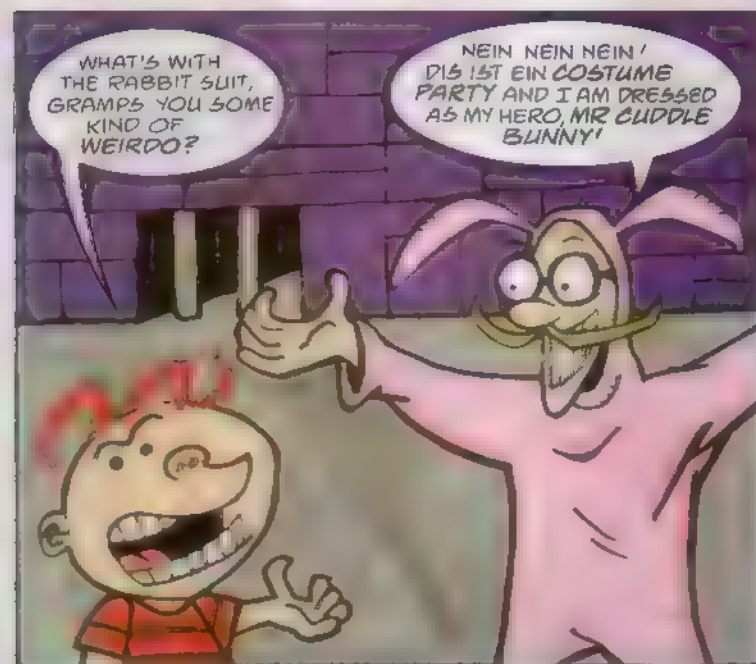
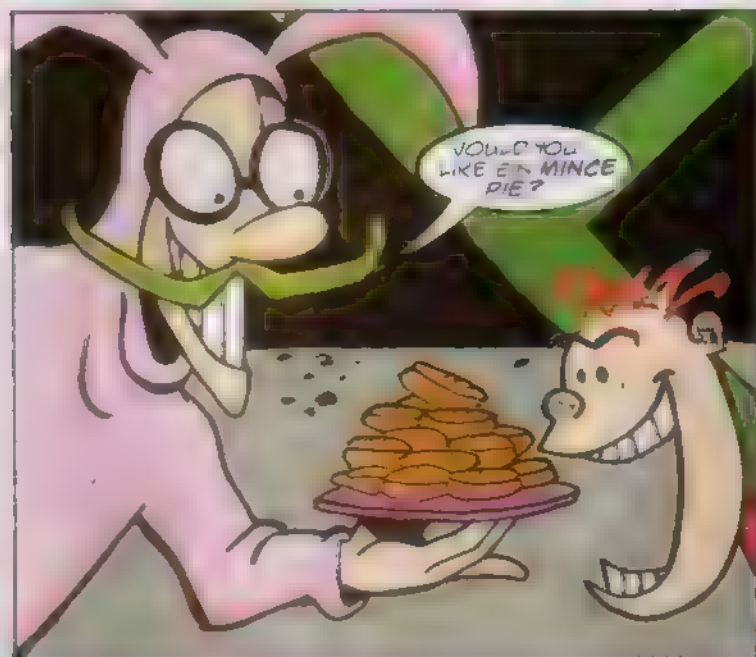
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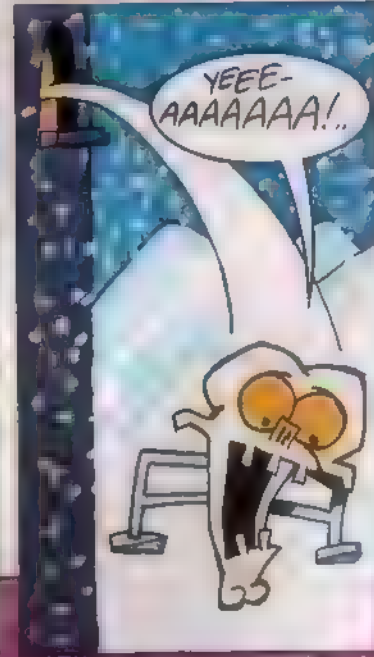
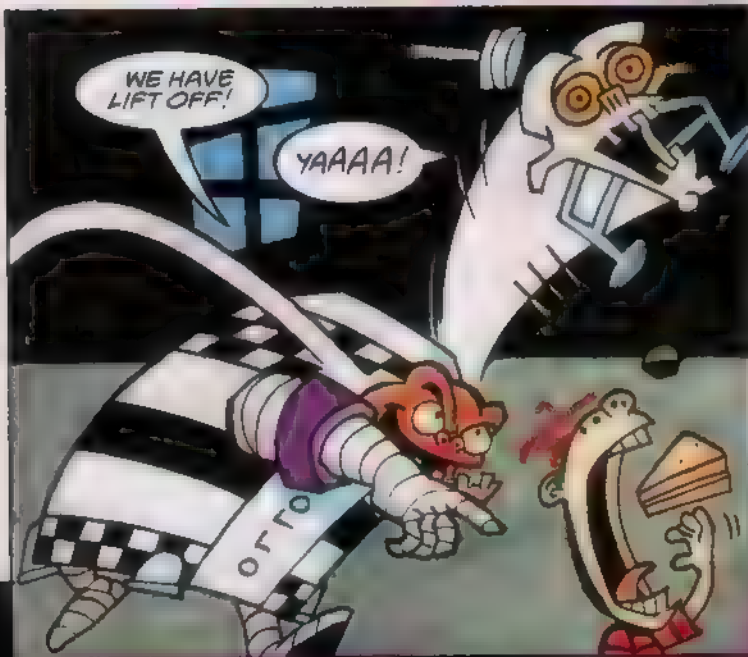
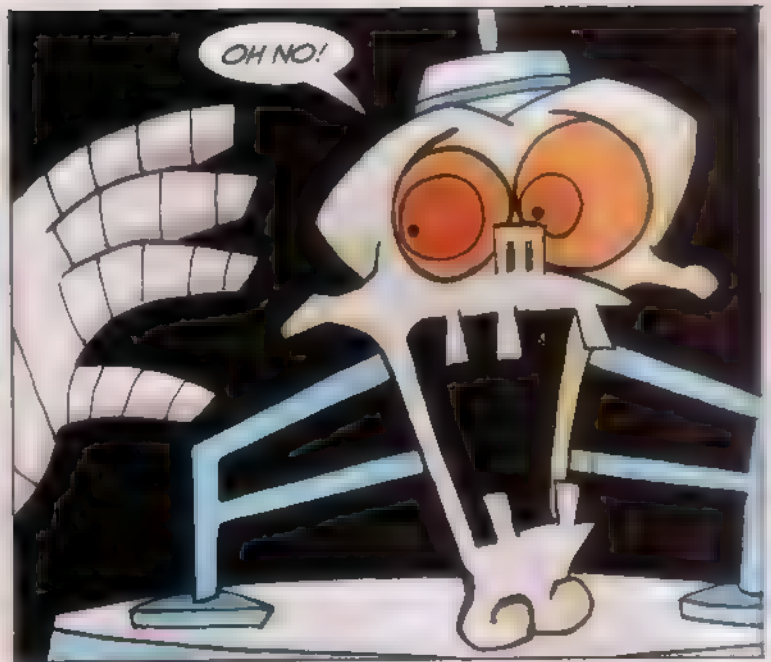
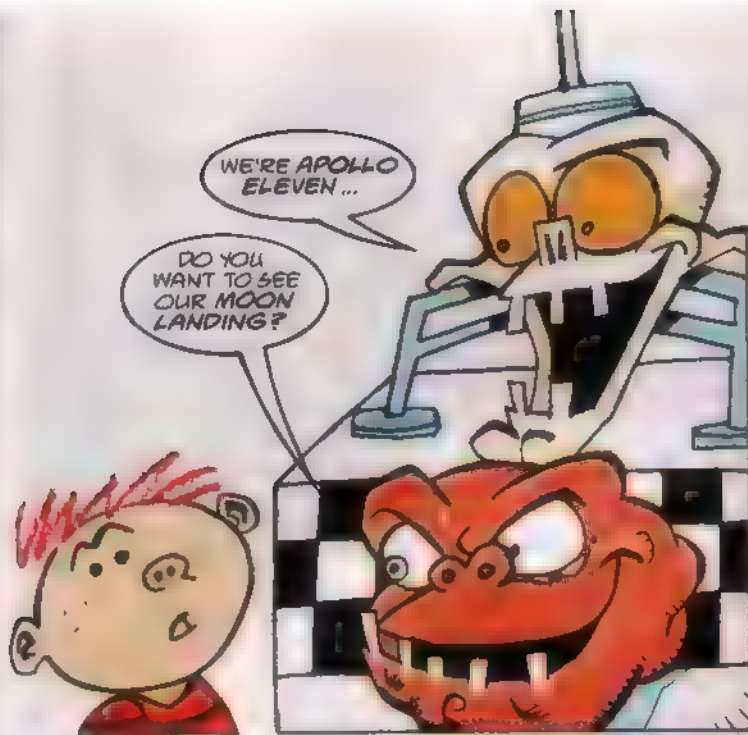
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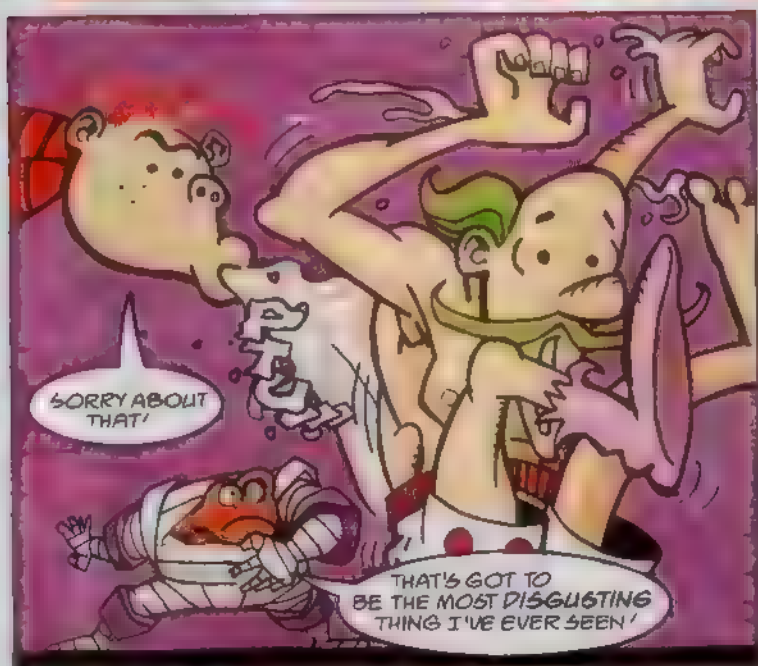
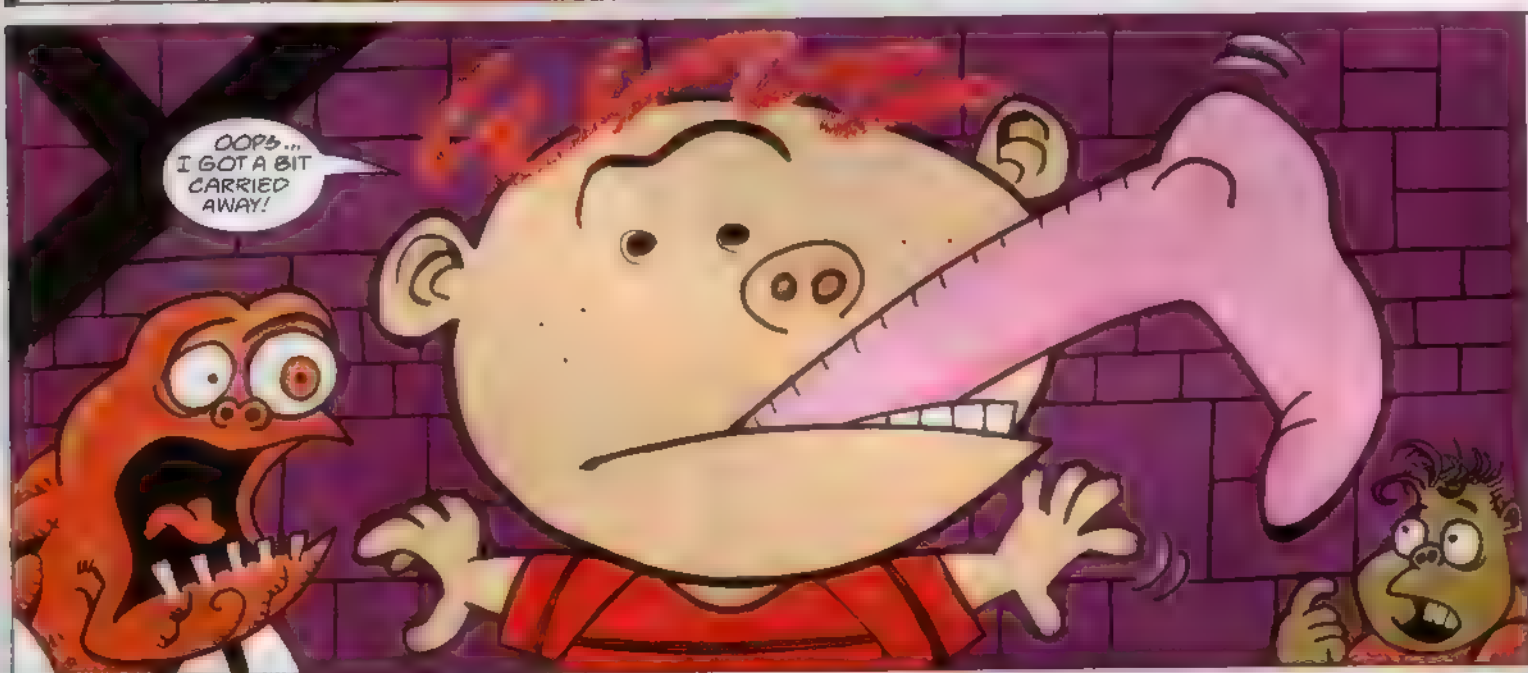
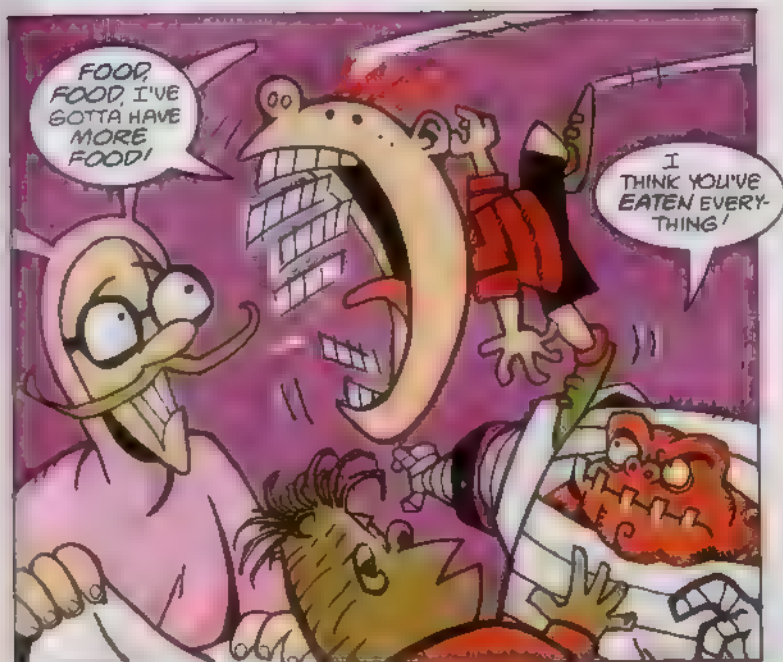
COMPLETE
STORY

LETTERING
ELLIE DEVILLE













ZONE

BECAUSE SO MANY OF YOU HAVE DEMANDED HELP ON THE CLASSIC SONIC GAMES, BOOMERS ARE REQUESTED TO HOLD THOSE Q ZONE QUERIES.

BOOMER ALERT

STC WILL LET YOU KNOW WHEN THE Q ZONE IS OPEN FOR HINTS AND TIPS ON OTHER MEGA SEGA GAMES.



SONIC THE HEDGEHOG 3 Revisited



MEGA DRIVE

THE BOSSES [CONTD]

MARBLE GARDEN ZONE

ACT 1

TUNNELBOT

- Dash Attack through the wall to your right and you'll find yourself in a chamber with nasty Tunnelbot Badniks to the upper right.
- Lumps of rock will fall from above. Avoid the dagger-shaped rock and the Tunnelbot that zips down.
- Take it out by carefully ramming the Badnik as it descends from above.
- The end-of-act marker drops in from above, so rack up those points and try to get a bonus TV.

ACT 2

DOCTOR ROBOTNIK'S JET DRILL POD

- Quickly get Sonic to the far left corner and wait

for Robotnik to appear from above in his evil new machine.

- As soon as he's within range, leap up and ram him (it's possible to get in three solid hits).
- Robotnik's machine will then drop to the ground - so ram that too! It should then fall from under you.
- Never fear, Tails is here! Tails will grab Sonic and carry him into the sky. Move him across to the middle upper part of the screen and leap off hard at Robotnik. Bounce off him hard to avoid the pod's jet engines.
- Carefully position Tails so that Sonic can jump off on to Robotnik and bounce off him as he enters the screen.
- You can get in more than one hit if your timing is good and you bounce off him hard enough.
- After eight hits, the Jet Drill explodes. Your furry friends' prison ship floats in from above, enabling Tails to ram it and release him.

CARNIVAL NIGHT ZONE

ACT 1

SELF D-STRUCT MACHINE

This dude is quite tough to beat if you don't keep your wits about you. All you have to do is get it to destroy itself!

- As the D-Struct Machine drops in from above, stand to the left of it.

- As the blade separates from the body and flies up, try to keep as close as possible to the main body. The only way to beat it is to get the blade to ram the main body when it is open and extended.
- After four hits, it explodes and you drop down to the next act!
- At the bottom, you can leap up and bounce on the end-of-act marker to rack up your score!

ACT 2

DOCTOR ROBOTNIK'S ENERGY SHIP

- Robotnik will enter from the upper right in his ship.
- He will drop a ball from his ship, which you have to avoid. Robotnik will position his ship over it, creating an energy charge which sucks Sonic in!
- Push hard in the opposite direction and jump to avoid being pulled in. The suction will stop and Robotnik will descend to pick up the ball. Here's your chance...
- Quickly leap up and ram his ship. When he has collected the ball, you can still ram him, watch out as he'll drop the ball again soon after.
- When the ball has stopped moving, you can ram him again quickly, then move away to avoid the energy vortex.
- Repeat the above moves until you have hit him eight times. His ship will explode and go off to the right. You can follow him and release Sonic's friends again.

ICE-CAP ZONE

ACT 1

ICEBALL

This frigid droid sucks up ice balls which it uses to encircle itself with.

- Keep Sonic over to the right of the screen and wait for the Badnik to appear. Go to the upper left corner and then back to the right, above him. When the ice balls fly up, ram the Badnik as quickly as possible. The ice balls will drop from above - so avoid them!
- Keep to the far right and the process will be repeated again, with the ice balls being drawn in

from under Sonic to circle the droid. The Badnik will move to the upper left corner. Pause, then dash across to the left underneath until the ice balls have gone - then ram it!

- After five hits, Iceball will explode and you can hit the end-of-act marker for those crucial extra points.

ACT 2

DOCTOR ROBOTNIK'S FREEZE-O-MATIC

- Robotnik will drop in from the upper right in his latest contraption.
- Move Sonic left and wait for Robotnik to start moving towards you. As he approaches, an ice spray will blast out from underneath and left of his machine.
- Leap on to the platform under his ship and ram him quickly, then leap off it.
- Wait for Robotnik to fire off an icy spray straight down from under his ship, then leap on to the platform and ram him again. If Sonic gets caught in the spray, he'll be frozen into an ice block and lose his rings.
- If you keep calm and choose your moment carefully, you can take Robotnik out quite easily.
- Wait for the moment he fires a spray from directly under his ship and you will have an excellent chance of getting in a quick hit against him.
- Once the Freeze-O-Matic explodes, head right and hit the button to release Sonic's pals from captivity.



Next issue: Concluding battle with the final Boss!

SONIC'S WORLD

THE MONSTER WAKES

NEW YEAR'S DAY ON
PLANET MOBIUS!
WITHIN THE SECRET
UNDISCOVERED
LABORATORY OF
TECHNICAL GENIUS,
TEKNO THE CANARY,
OUR HEROES GATHER

HAPPY NEW YEAR,
SHORTFUSE!
...MMWAHH!:

AHEM! THANK YOU, TEKNO!
IT WOULD TRULY BE A HAPPY
NEW YEAR IF WE WERE TO
TRIUMPH OVER ROBOTNIK!

FORGET ABOUT ROBOTNIK
FOR ONCE SHORTFUSE! IT'S
A DAY OF CELEBRATION!

YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND, JOHNNY! IT WAS ROBOTNIK WHO TURNED ME FROM
AN ORDINARY SQUIRREL INTO A CYBERNIK! HOW CAN I FORGET THAT?

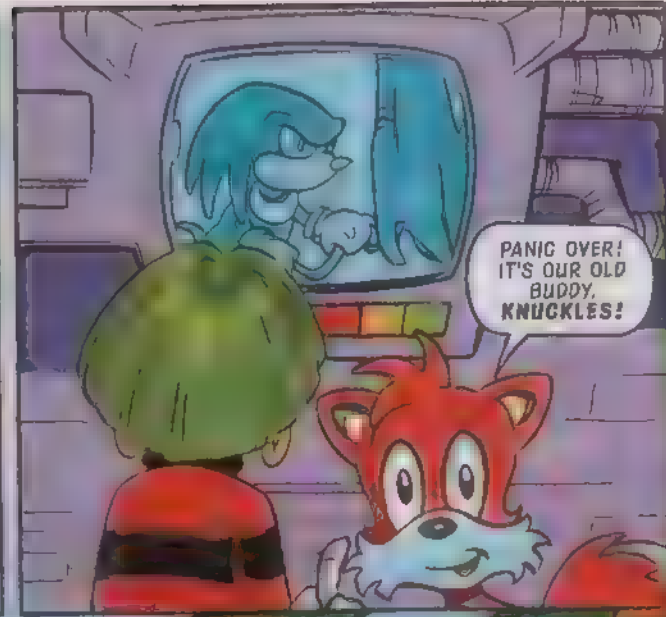
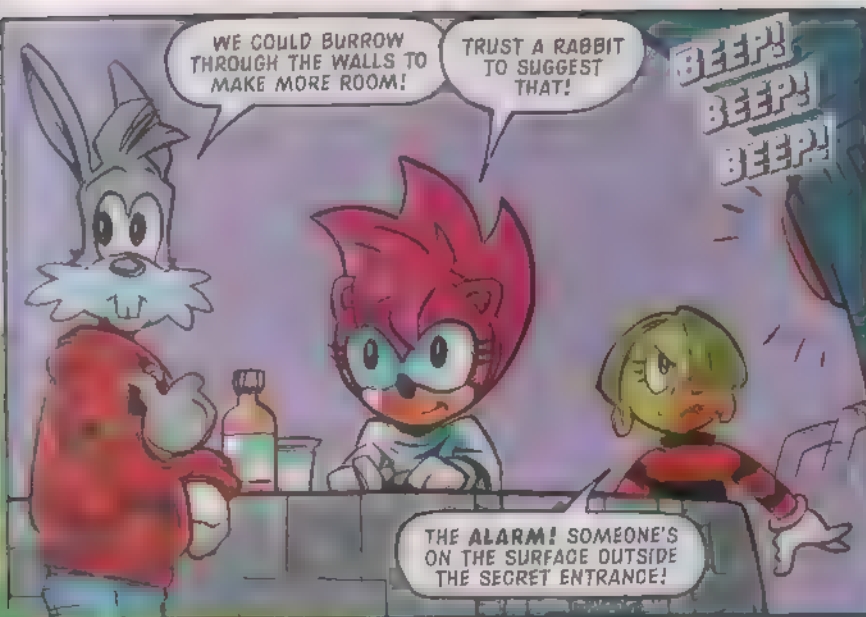
I... I DIDN'T
MEAN

COOL IT, GUYS!
TEKNO'S GOT A
SUGGESTION
TO MAKE!

LISTEN, GANG! MAYBE YOU COULD BE
MORE EFFECTIVE AGAINST ROBOTNIK
IF YOU USED MY LABORATORY AS
YOUR OWN SECRET BASE!

COOL! IT'S BETTER
THAN BEING ON THE
RUN ALL THE TIME!

HMMM... NOT A
BAD IDEA, BUT IT'S A
BIT SMALL FOR FIVE
OF US!



LATER

THERE! THAT SHOULD GIVE YOU ENOUGH SPACE TO DESIGN LIVING QUARTERS FOR ALL OF YOU!

THANKS, KNUCKLES! YOU'RE WELCOME TO JOIN US OF COURSE!

YES! WE NEED TO STRENGTHEN OUR TEAM NOW THAT SONIC IS AWAY IN THE SPECIAL ZONE!

THANKS BUT I'M JUST PASSING THROUGH! I'M HEADING BACK HOME TO THE FLOATING ISLAND!

IF I HANG AROUND MUCH LONGER, YOU'D HAVE ME FITTING CARPETS!

KNUCKLES CRACKING A JOKE?

HE MUST BE IN A FESTIVE MOOD!

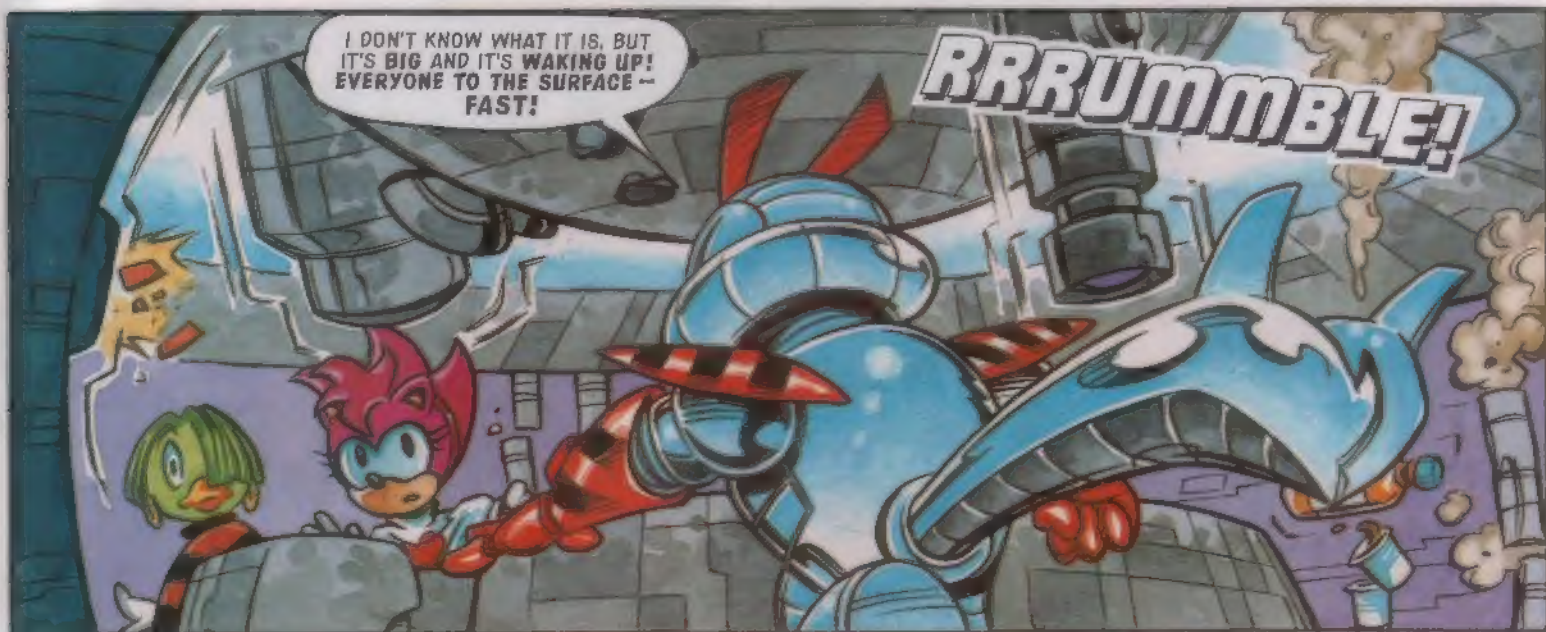
LATER, SHORTFUSE AND TAILS CHECK OUT ONE OF THE FRESHLY DUG AREAS

KNUCKLES DID A GOOD JOB! ONCE WE INSTALL ELECTRICITY WE CAN

UHP! CA...CAN YOU HEAR S-SOMETHING BREATHING?

MY SENSORS DETECT IT'S COMING FROM THIS DIRECTION... TAILS! THERE'S SOMETHING DOWN HERE... SOMETHING ALIVE!

WH WHAT IS IT?



AWESOME! A DRAGON!
BUT I ALWAYS THOUGHT
THEY WERE JUST CREATURES
IN FAIRY TALES!

ULP!
I HOPE IT'S
FRIENDLY!

WELL, LET'S SEE... YOU'VE
WOKEN ME UP A **THOUSAND**
YEARS TOO EARLY AND YOU
EXPECT ME TO BE FRIENDLY?

NO WAY!

NEXT ISSUE:
THE DRAGON STRIKES!



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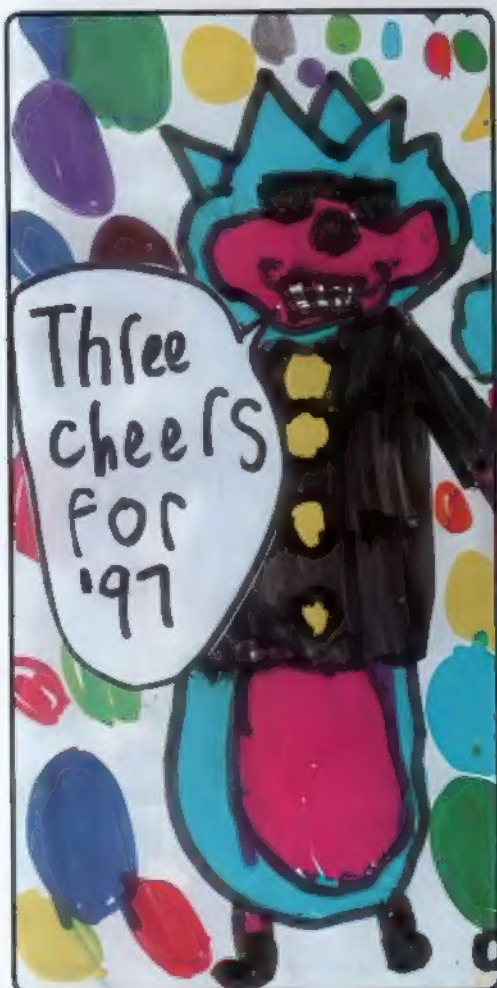
NO CLASS!

Dear STC,

Why do teachers always confiscate the best comics?
An STC-less Carlos Ferlance & Caleb Klaces, Moseley, Birmingham.
Sonic & Knuckles Hog Tag Winners.



Give your teacher a break, boys. She/he probably just wanted a good read!



Dale Phillipa Johnson, Ingleby Barwick, Stockton.
Sonic & Knuckles Hog Tag Winner.

DATA STROP!

Dear STC,

In my opinion the Data Strip at the back of the comic is a waste of space and a stupid idea, which is a shame because everything else is just great!

Stefan Evans,
Dublin, Rep. of Ireland.
Sonic & Knuckles Hog Tag Winner.



OK Stefan, you'll be relieved to learn that the Data Strip is no more after this issue - however, a big thank-you to everyone who sent them in in the past!

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Martin Wright, Heaton Norris, Stockport.
Sonic & Knuckles Hog Tag Winner.

KRISTIAN ORDERS!

Dear STC,

This is a message for Sonic which he should take special care to follow: I demand that you kill everybody in the city, because if you don't, I will turn you into hedgehog soup! Got it!

Kristian Stevenson-Edmunds,
Carmunnock, Scotland.
Sega Mega Hog Tag Winner.



Worth a try, Kristian, but something tells me you'd be the one who'd end up in the soup!

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MY SEGA SYSTEM ...

TICK:-

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MM ☐ MS ☐ 32X ☐

SATURN ☐

SEGA GAME INTO STRIP!

I WOULD LIKE TO SEE

..... AS A COMIC STRIP IN STC.


**THIS ISSUE'S
MEGA HITS!**

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2ND CHOICE

3RD CHOICE

YOUR RATING FOR ISSUE 94

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